

June 15, 2010

Chairman Julius Genachowski
Commissioner Michael J. Copps
Commissioner Robert M. McDowell
Commissioner Mignon Clyburn
Commissioner Meredith Attwell Baker
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

RE: MB Docket No. 10-56

Dear Chairman Genachowski and Commissioners:

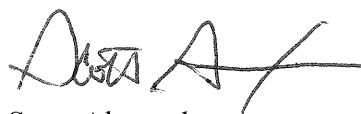
I appreciate this opportunity to weigh in on Comcast's proposed joint venture agreement with NBC Universal. The Frederick Alliance for Youth is a nonprofit organization founded in 2008 to promote and support positive change in the Hillcrest and Waverly communities of Frederick, Maryland. Our immediate plan is to build a youth center that will house accessible, affordable, fun youth programs that promote healthy development from childhood to adulthood. We seek to meet the changing needs of youth and families through close relationships with other community organizations who share our passion and vision. This collaboration results in increased communication and positive interactions between area youth, families, schools, organizations, and law enforcement.

Comcast's support for the Frederick Alliance for Youth has been essential to meeting our goals of better serving young people in our community. Specifically, Comcast has helped us improve the digital literacy of the children we serve, which will not only expand their chances for success in school but also prepare them for an increasingly competitive job market that nearly always demands online skills. These efforts simply would not be possible without the support of Comcast. I am also pleased to note that their work here in Maryland is only a small portion of its national efforts to expand digital literacy among children and adults.

While the Commission will likely hear from many voices on the proposed Comcast-NBC transaction, I am hopeful that my personal experience, and that of the children in the Frederick Alliance for Youth, will help to better inform your decision as you move forward.

Thank you for taking the time to consider these views.

Sincerely,



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